

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as indicated hereafter. It is believed that the following amendment adds no new matter to the present application.

Please amend the Cross-Reference as follows:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is a continuation-in-part of ~~U.S. Application No. 09/497,584, which was filed on February 3, 2000 and which issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,550,010 on April 15, 2003, which was the National Stage of International Application No. PCT/US98/20428, filed September 30, 1998, which was nationalized as U.S. Application No. 09/497,584, which was filed on February 3, 2000 and which issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,550,010 on April 15, 2003.~~

Please delete the paragraph starting at page 6:

~~Advantageous ways in which to overcome the problems typically associated with locking/unlocking wireless units are disclosed in the commonly owned patent application of Link et al., entitled "Method and Apparatus for a Unit Locked Against Use until Unlocked and/or Activated on a Select Network", filed September 30, 1998 with the United States receiving office under the provisions of the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) (Application No. PCT/US98/20428), which patent application is incorporated herein by reference.~~